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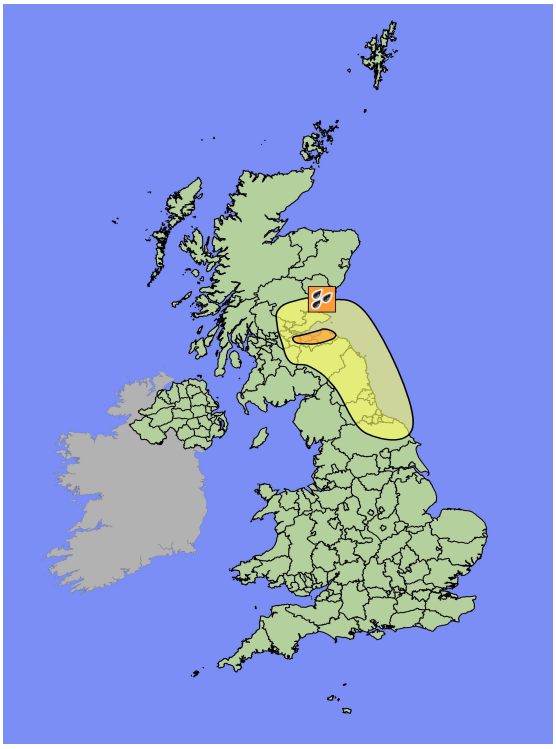

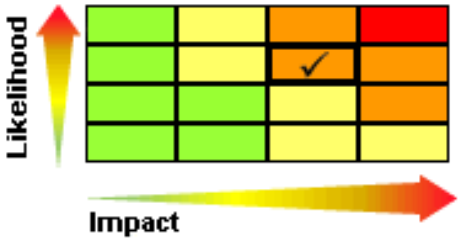

Chief Forecasters Assessment
A frontal zone is being activated across parts of Scotland and northern England. As a result some heavy and persistent rain is likely. Some 20 to 30 mm of rain is likely, particularly in the Amber area where up to 50 mm is possible. With the ground being already saturated, further flooding is likely. There remains some uncertainty regarding the exact position of the boundaries so please watch for possible updates to this warning.

The Met Office have issued an **Amber Warning** of **Rain**

Valid from **00:05 on Wed, 11th Jul 2012** until **23:55 on Wed, 11th Jul 2012**

Rain will continue to be heavy and persistent across much of southeast Scotland on Wednesday and will extend southwards across much of northeast England. The public should be prepared for the likelihood of localised flooding, particularly in the Amber area. Across Scotland, the rain should gradually ease from the north later in the day

For more details please go to:
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/weather/uk/uk_forecast_warnings.html

Issued by the Met Office at 12:14 on Tue, 10th Jul 2012

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